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Late European Advices.

WARSAW, October 12.

BY the late partition of Poland, the King of Pruſſia will be poſſeſſed of a country of 900 ſquare leagues; Auſtria of one of 2700; and Ruſſia of one of 3440, ſo that the whole diſmemberment amounts to 7040 ſquare leagues. The moſt valuable are thoſe ſeized by the Auſtrians & Pruſſians, that of the Ruſſians, though near as much as the other two, is leſs valuable.

Warſaw, Oct. 14. The laſt diſpatches which the Baron de Stackelberg, the Ruſſian Envoy, received from Walachia, renew the hopes we had of ſeeing ſoon an end of the preſent war.—The armiſtice has been prolonged 40 days beyond the preſcribed time; and the negociations of peace have been reſumed between the Field Marſhal Count de Romanzow and the Grand Vizir. 'Tis actually known that the Congreſs would not have been broke up, if the pretenſions of the Ruſſian Plenipotentiaries had been more moderate. By other advices recently received, we learn, that the Court of Vienna has cauſed it to be declared to the Porte, that if the Peace is not concluded within the ſpace of four weeks, ſhe muſt be obliged, according to her treaty with Ruſſia, to act in concert with that Power againſt the Turks.

LONDON, October 29.

This day at twenty minutes paſt 12 the Sheriffs aſcending the Huſtings, when Mr. Oliver came forward and addreſſed the Livery in the following terms:

"GENTLEMEN, *As we juſt now learn that the cuſtomary hour of making a return to the Court of Aldermen is on o'clock, we muſt, for fear of being guilty of any irregularity, beg your patience till that time.*"

This addreſs was received with applauſe; and in a few minutes Capt. Allen addreſſed the Livery from his uſual ſtation under the clock; remarking, that whatever was the conſequence, he would always endeavor to act with ſpirit and honour in the ſervice of his country.—That whenever ambitious tyrants ſought the deſtruction of their country, the duties of a patient reſignation was the doctrine preached by their infernal agents. He obſerved, that in all caſes where tyranny was exerciſed, oppoſition became a duty. He then ſeverely cenſured the conduct of the Lord Mayor, in denying the Livery one of their moſt undoubted rights, that of inſtructing their Repreſentatives; and concluded with hoping, that when the other buſineſs of the day was concluded, they would inſiſt on their former inſtructions being recorded.

This ſpeech was received with loud acclamations, & Mr. Allen retired for a minute, and then returned, and ſaid, that, as Mr. Crosby was Mayor at the time the inſtructions were moved for, it would be proper to enquire of that gentleman what had become of thoſe inſtructions? He likewiſe recommended it to the Livery not to inſult the perſons of any of the Aldermen, but leave thoſe who had acted amiſs to the remorſe of their own conſciences.

At one o'clock the Sheriffs came forward, and the Common-Serjeant having read the particulars of the poll and ſcrutiny, declared the Sheriffs opinion, that as no objection had been made to any of the votes on either ſide, the ſtate of the election ſtood juſt as it did before the demand of the ſcrutiny, and that therefore Meſſrs. Wilkes and Townſend were duly returned to the Court of Aldermen, *vid pa. 191.*

The Sheriffs now retired to the Council Chamber, where they remained full an hour, when the Lord Mayor took the chair. Silence being made, Mr. Common Serjeant again read all the particulars of the poll and ſcrutiny, written on ſeveral ſheets of paper, and declared the election of the court of Aldermen to have fallen on JAMES TOWNSEND, Eſq;

Clappping of hands, huzzaing, hiſſing, hooting, and growling, were now prevalent through the hall. Mr. Townſend now advanced to the front of the huſtings, and was inveſted with the chain, as Lord Mayor elect. He then attempted to addreſs the Livery; but the noiſe and confuſion was ſo great, that he could not be heard.

In about ten minutes, by the entreaties of Mr. Oliver and the Gentlemen on the huſtings, the tumult ſubſided; and Mr. Townſend, in a ſpirited and manly addreſs, obſerved, *That the whole tenor of his conduct had been ſuch, that he hoped he had no need to make an apology; that his higheſt ambition was the applauſe of honeſt men; and that he would endeavour, unbiaſſed by any ſiniſter or private motive, to diſcharge the honourable truſt with which the good opinion of his fellow citizens had inveſted him.*

Mr. Wilkes then came forward, and as ſoon as a moſt tumultuous roar of applauſe would permit him to be heard, he remarked that the right of chuſing a Mayor was, by antient charters, veſted ſolely in the Livery—that the Aldermen, by electing Mr. Townſend, had ſacrificed the election of the Liverymen. Mr. Wilkes added, that though Mr. Townſend was not the perſon properly elected, he was a warm friend to the cauſe of the people; and that himſelf would at all times gladly join any of the magiſtrates, in promoting the proſperity of the city of London.

Capt. Allen then came forward, and moved that the Inſtructions might be recorded.——The Lord Mayor objected—Allen again advanced, and made the motion regularly, which was inſtantly ſeconded by ſeveral Gentlemen. Mr. Crosby begged to know if it was the pleaſure of the Livery that they ſhould be recorded —"Yes, yes," was the univerſal cry.

At this inſtant the Lord Mayor aroſe, and attempted to leave the huſtings. Capt. Allen ran across the huſtings, and for ſome time detained the Mayor, the Mace bearer, and all the Regalia.—Mr. Naſh, however, was reſolute, and croſſed the hall to his coach, amidſt ſuch groans and execrations as were never before heard at Guildhall. Not one of the Aldermen retired with his Lordſhip.

THE

Speech of Mr. Alderman WILKES,

to the LIVERY at Guildhall, October 29.

"*Gentlemen, and Brother Liverymen,*

"*AFTER the moſt unfair and ungrounded allegations, both againſt the Juſtice of the Poll and the Honour of the Sheriffs, our adverſaries have been reduced to the neceſſity of abandoning a Scrutiny, which was only demanded to create expence, and to diſturb the public peace. Upon the fulleſt evidence I am now warranted to declare, that if the Scrutiny had been continued by them, a much greater Majority than that declared by the Sheriffs at the cloſe of the Poll, would have appeared at the finiſhing of the Scrutiny, and many ſcenes of iniquity and corruption been laid open to all mankind. The conſciouſneſs and dread of this was the true cauſe of the Scrutiny being declined on the moſt falſe and injurious ſubterfuge.*

The Court of Aldermen, Gentlemen, not withſtanding the ſanction of your declared will and approbation by the majority of your ſuffrages, have not thought proper to ratify your choice. I give the gentleman, who is the object of their choice, much joy. His forward zeal for the public ſervice--------but I will not be his panegyriſt.

I am happy, Gentlemen, to be farther uſeful to you by humbly offering to you, at all future times, the tender of my ſervices, in conjunction with any gentleman, whom you may chuſe hereafter to raiſe to the dignity of your chief Magiſtrate. I ſhall thus enjoy the ſatisfaction of ſeeing in the Livery of London the juſt and ſole power of electing their own Mayor, a privilege enjoyed by all the other corporations, and which in my opinion they ought to have had at the firſt formation of the conſtitution of this city. On every occaſion, Gentlemen, I ſhall be ready to obey your commands and to convince you of my warm gratitude for your repeated favours."

The Court of Aldermen are ſuppoſed to have voted as follows:

For Alderman Townſend.—Ladbroke, Alſop, Glynn, Harley, Plumb, Stephenſon, Oliver, Sawbridge.

For Alderman Wilkes. — Aſgill, Bridgen, Turner, Crosby, Kirkman, Bull, Lewes.

Did not vote.—Lord Mayor, Shakeſpeare, Wilkes, Townſend, Roſſeter, Kennet.

A certain popular Magiſtrate, (B——.) it is ſaid, declares, that it coſt him no leſs than four thouſand three hundred pounds, during the courſe of his late Sheriffalty, as he paid all expences on both ſides.

LONDON, October 31.

Yeſterday Lord Chief Baron Parker attended the Levee at St. James's, and reſigned his place as Chief Baron of the Exchequer. The ſame day James Eyre, Eſq; Recorder of London, kiſſed his Majeſty's hand, on being appointed a Puiſne Judge in the ſaid Court, and received the honour of Knighthood.

The ſame day Sir Sidney Stafford Smythe kiſſed his Majeſty's hand on being appointed Chief Baron, in the room of Sir Thomas Parker.

A report prevails at the Weſt end of the town, that the Earl of Dartmouth has lately ſignified an intention of reſigning his new office, owing to a favourite ſcheme of government giving him great diſguſt.

A Memorial has lately been ſent to the Court of Spain, demanding ſatisfaction for the injuries ſeveral Britiſh ſubjects have received from the Spaniſh power in the Weſt-Indies. It is ſaid to be written in the moſt ſpirited terms, at the inſtance of the Earl of Rochford.

Ten ſhips of the line were put in commiſſion yeſterday; and it is expected an equal number will be commiſſioned on Monday next.

Several houſes of rendezvous are opened at Portſmouth, Plymouth, and in Wapping.

The inſurance on a War for one year has riſen, within a few days, from Five to Twelve Guineas; at which latter price very few will underwrite.

The King of Pruſſia has a demand of 700,000 l. on Great-Britain; and he has already declared that he expects immediate payment.

Letters from Madrid ſay, that the Empreſs of Ruſſia has made an application to that court for a fleet to aſſiſt her operations in the Mediterranean, but it is not known what reply will be given to this requeſt.

Advices from Cadiz informs us, that letters had lately arrived from Chili, in South-America, giving an account of a general inſurrection breaking out thro' out the whole province, among the Indians. It is added, that there has been already a moſt incredible ſlaughter of the natives of Spain and thoſe of Spaniſh deſcent.

Nov. 4. *The famous powder plot failed in* 1605, *exactly* 157 *years ago, which was the amount of the age of old Jenkins of Yorkſhire.—How many generations of ſome families have ſunk in a period only equal to that of this one man's life!*

Oct. 17. Tueſday,—At three in the afternoon died at his ſeat at Bagſhot Park, the Right Hon. George Keppel, Earl of Albemarle, Viſcount Bury, a Lieutenant General, Colonel of the third or King's own regiment of dragoons, and governor of Jerſey.

A gentleman lately arrived from France ſays, that during the time he was at St. Mole's, no leſs than 12 veſſels arrived there with flour from North-America.

The comet appears now every night, and may be ſeen by the curious between the hours of one & three, in a conſpicuous point of view.

Nov. 6. *A great perſonage has expreſſed, in the warmeſt terms, his ſatisfaction that the choice of the Aldermen did not fall on Mr. Wilkes.*

Nov. 7. Many of Wilkes's friends think it will be much luckier for him, if he ſhould not ſerve the office of Lord-Mayor for ſome years to come. Had he once filled that important office, he would have nothing higher to expect, and will therefore be in danger of ſinking into oblivion.—But while he has it before him, he will be able to keep up the Buſtle, and beſides he will make all the intermediate Lord-Mayors, and the Creator (ſurely is greater than the creature.

MARBLEHEAD, December 18, 1772.

WHEREAS ſome of the Inhabitants of this town, did, at a meeting, held by adjournment on Tueſday the 8th inſt. paſs ſeveral reſolves, and ordered the town-clerk to authenticate a copy of the proceedings of ſaid meeting, and ſubmit the ſame to a committee of correſpondence of the town of Boſton; and as ſaid reſolves have been publiſhed to the world in ſeveral news-papers, prefaced in ſuch a manner as will lead the Publick to imagine, that they are the almoſt unanimous opinion of this town, when in fact, there was but about twenty perſons who voted at ſaid meeting, the greater part of whom never had an opportunity of informing themſelves in the leaſt degree of the nature of theſe matters which (they are ſaid) to have been ſo fully and freely debated upon: And whereas we are apprehenſive that this town will incur a great degree of public cenſure; and being deſirous to avoid as much thereof as we can;—We, therefore, whoſe names are hereunto ſubſcribed, being freeholders or otherwiſe qualified to vote in town affairs, Do, in this publick manner, declare our entire diſapprobation of all the Proceedings of ſaid meeting, and our diſſent from many of the reſolves paſſed thereat, for the following reaſons:

1. Becauſe the matters agitated at ſaid meeting are of ſuch a nature as do not (in our humble opinion) properly come under the cognizance of any town to debate and act upon in a town-meeting.

2. Becauſe, in the 3d and 8th of ſaid reſolves, ſome things are aſſerted to be matters of fact, which we are well aſſured are not ſo, and that the voters were in thoſe inſtances greatly miſled.

3. Becauſe the voters at ſaid meeting do, by ſome of their reſolves, abſolutely determine, and paſs final ſentence, concerning ſome matters which have been controverted between Great-Britain and the Colonies, without giving a hearing to one of the parties; which is contrary to a known maxim of equity: And their proceedure on this point would (in our humble opinion) have appeared more candid and impartial, had they firſt heard what Great-Britain could have offered, on her ſide of the queſtion.

4. Becauſe, in the 9th of ſaid reſolves, are the following words, viz. "That it is clearly the opinion of this town, and juſtified by "many facts, That the Britiſh miniſtry are the productive cauſe "of all theſe and many other evils—By converting the publick "revenues to the wicked purpoſes of bribery, thereby corrupting "many members of the Britiſh houſe of commons—By obtaining "by theſe means, the acts complained of, & that contrary to the "expreſſed ſentiments of the moſt dignified characters in both "houſes of parliament, as well as the fundamental principles of the "conſtitution—By deceiving and keeping from the ears of our "moſt gracious ſovereign the prayers & cries of his faithful ſub-"jects:"--Which words ſeem to us to carry this plain meaning, viz. That the King's miniſters are a ſet of moſt proſligate and abandoned men---That the major part of the members of both houſes of parliament are equally wicked, having ſold themſelves to do wickedneſs for the ſake of filthy lucre---and that the King himſelf is become an inſtrument in the hands of the miniſtry to promote their wicked purpoſes---All which we apprehend to be untrue, and that ſuch aſſertions are a moſt flagrant and daring affront to the moſt high and reſpectable characters in the nation, and that the perſons who paſſed this reſolve have inadvertently been guilty of a great miſdemeanor.

5. Becauſe theſe reſolves ſeem to be dictated, and the whole proceedings of ſaid meeting to be animated by the little, low, and narrow ſpirit of bigotry and party zeal; as one of ſaid reſolves ſpeaks to this effect, viz. That whoever differs in opinion from theſe reſolves, "is a deſerter from his country & its honeſt cauſe."

Nicholas Gordon	Robert Hooper
Joſeph Lee	Jeremiah Lee
Nich's. Bartlett	Nathan Bowen
John Fowle	Iſ'c Manſfield
Joſeph Stacy	Ben. Marſton
George M'Call	Tho's Robie
Sam. Swaſey	Jacob Fowle
Swett Hooper	John Galliſon
John Prince	John Pedrick
Tho's King	Joſeph Hooper
Tho's Pedrick	Thomas Lewis
Wyatt St. Barbe	Jona. Glover
Jo. Swaſey	Sam'l White
Rich'd Hinckly	Rob't Hooper, tertius.
	Joſeph Skillin

Mr. Nash. ‖ See pa. 191. ∨ a Noted Tory. † The King. ¶ vid page 198. ¿ vid Committee pa. 1087. ∂ vid list of Grievances pa. 1100. ∑ vid. Index to Vol. 2, & 3 under petitions

∑ vid pa. 206. (1) vid pa. 33. (2) vid pa. 201. [3] vid. [illegible]

The further PROCEEDINGS of MARBLEHEAD, at their Adjournment of their Meeting, December 15th, 1772, which were entered into after Debates which lasted through the Day, and by the greatest Number of Inhabitants ever known to attend a Town-Meeting in that Place.

Mr. THOMAS GERRY, jun. Moderator.

THE warrant being read, together with the votes and resolves already past;

Voted, That the report of the committee for grievances be read before the town, now assembled.

The question being put, whether the report of the committee for grievances just read, including sentiments relative to the state of rights, and a letter to the respectable town of Boston, be accepted, was passed in the Affirmative.

Upon a motion made and seconded, it was desired the resolves that were accepted by this town the 8th inst. be again read; and the question being put, whether they should still remain accepted, it was confirmed by a very great number of Voters—only five Dissentients.

Voted, That the report upon the state of rights, as also the letter to the town of Boston, which are accepted, be recorded.

Voted, That an authenticated copy of this day's proceedings of the town be transmitted to the committee of correspondence for Boston.

The Report which was accepted.

THE committee for grievances have taken into consideration sundry matters by the town referred to them the 8th instant, beg leave to report as follows:

AZOR ORNE, Chairman.

Marblehead, 15th December, 1772.

THAT the state of the rights of the Colonists, &c. "and, a list of the violations of those rights," appear to be founded, the first on the principles of common reason, the laws of God and nature, and the English constitution; and the latter, on known facts and experience; and that the whole seems to be every way agreeable to the sentiments of this town.

That as the oppressions complained of are of the utmost consequence, and if not confronted will very soon terminate in the ruin of this province; it appears necessary that every member of this community, qualified to vote in town affairs, should at all times have a proper sense of them, more especially as the future happiness of his family, as well as himself, depends greatly on their being removed.

That to this end it is thought proper to have one of the pamphlets, containing the state of rights, &c. lodged in the clerk's office of this town, and the same read annually, until our grievances are redressed, at the opening of every March meeting for choosing town-officers, &c.

Further, To inform posterity, should their rights and liberties be preserved, how much they are indebted to many eminent patriots of the present day; that the names of the Hon. JOHN HANCOCK, Esq; Moderator of the meeting which originated the state of rights; of the Hon. JAMES OTIS, Esq; Mr. SAMUEL ADAMS, Doctor WARREN, and other members of the committee which reported them, be recorded in the books of this town, as GREAT SUPPORTERS of the RIHGTs and LIBERTIES of this province, & gentlemen who do much honor & service to their COUNTRY.

A LETTER to the respectable Town of BOSTON.

GENTLEMEN,

"THE inhabitants of MARBLEHEAD, in town-meeting legally assembled, beg leave to reply to yours obliging letter of November 20th, having carefully considered and deliberated the same.

"From a full conviction of the truths you advance, we join in your just apprehensions at the danger impending America in general; and that the system of despotism, which for some time has been gradually advancing, is now in open sight, rapidly hastening to a Completion.

"We think you suggest, with great reason, that the late innovation of independent Judges is a desperate symptom, and forbodes that this province is to be made the first sacrifice of tyranny.

"We are sorry to see, that by his Excellency's refusing to give any information relative to the matter, and to convene the General Assembly as requested, your first measures for our common preservation were entirely defeated.

"We rejoice to find you no ways disconcerted by these acts, and that a plan was immediately adopted to obtain the general voice of the province; and after that, its joint wisdom to save it.

"We think that your briefly recapitulating "the rights of the province, with the violations made both in theory and practice," and sending a copy to each town to collect their sense of the same, was a wise and prudent measure; and that this recent instance of the publick and generous disposition, which has ever distinguished the metropolis of this province, claims our utmost respect, gratitude and regards.

"The propriety of sentiments which gave birth to the state of rights of the colonists, "together with the upright and just relation of the violations made of them," we apprehend must secure the assent of every candid mind; and are fully acquiesced in here, as appears by the proceedings of the day.

"Having expressed our sentiments more fully in sundry resolves transmitted to the gentlemen of your committee of correspondence, and made choice of a committee for similar purposes; we conceive no further proposals in your letter for our consideration at this time.

"We beg leave to bid adieu for the present, by assuring you, that a determined resolution to support the rights confirmed to us by the great King of the universe, engages the minds of this people. We apprehend that all who attempt to infringe them, are, in obedience to wicked dictates, violating the sacred statutes of heaven.—And for the honor of our Supreme Benefactor, for our own welfare, and the welfare of posterity, we desire to use these blessings of Liberty and Property with thankfulness and prudence, and to defend them with intrepidity and steadiness."

Copy, Attest.

BENJA. BODEN, Town-Clerk.

Messrs FLEETS, vid pa, 209.

Roxbury, 23d December, 1772.

THAT the Public may be rightly informed, and that the Town of Boston may not be misled, in regard to what is published in the Evening-Post and Boston Gazette of the 21st Inst. as having passed at the adjournment of a Meeting of the Town of Roxbury on the 14th,—You are requested by a number of Freeholders of the said Town, to favour them with room in your Paper for the following, which is a fair and impartial account of the proceedings of the Town of Roxbury at their Meeting on the 16th Nov. and by adjournment of the 23d Nov. & 14th December, by which it may appear how far those Sentiments and notable Resolves contained in said publication were really the act of the Town.

IN consequence of a Petition handed about by the Representative, and after some days close application signed by a number of the Inhabitants of the Town, the Selectmen appointed a meeting on the 16th Nov. (1) At this meeting the Moderator was chosen by 18 Votes, being the major part of the Voters. After some debate on the propriety of calling the Town together on the supposed establishment of the Judges Salary, and much time taken up by the Moderator in a lengthy harangue, a motion was made for chusing a Committee to make a draft of Instructions to the Representative on this affair—but the Moderator, instead of attending to the motion, produced a paper containing sundry Resolves, &c. and without any regard to decency or regularity would have hurried the Town into a Vote upon them, but he was herein overruled——The Town then proceeded to the choice of a Committee of five to instruct their Representative. Then the Meeting adjourned to the 23d of November. (4)

At this Meeting, on the 23d of Nov. the Committee reported the Instructions. After some debate thereon, a motion was made, whether or not they should be accepted: Here, as before, instead of giving any attention thereto, the Moderator himself, or somebody for him, moved that the Report should lay upon the Table. He then produced a number of Papers, (7) which he acquainted the Town, he had received from the Town of Boston, and against all rule, insisted upon reading them; which done, he push'd hard to get the Town to adopt them—This was indeed very extraordinary, as it was impossible for the Town to have been ripe for a vote on so long and elaborate a Performance, at one cursory reading them by the Moderator—After he had thus drove the matter, as far as it would go, the Report of the Instructions was then taken up and passed. (2) After this, the Town chose a Committee of nine to consider of the Papers from Boston and report thereon at the adjournment.

This adjournment of the 14th Dec. (3) was the last Meeting, and a very remarkable Meeting it was. The Committee reported on the Papers from Boston, tho' they were not quite unanimous in the Report: Of eight who met, six agreed and signed it; of the two dissentients one was the Moderator; the other, a Person, who, it seems, is not qualified to vote, and is now Chairman of the Committee of Correspondence——The Report being read, the Moderator offered his objections against it in another long speech, nor would he give any one time to answer him, but (to be uniform) he acted the same part as before, and offered a draft of his own to be read, and so overbearing was he in this instance, that it was with the utmost difficulty that the Town could come to a vote, whether the said Report should be accepted or not.—The Question however was finally put, and the Vote obtained for receiving the Report: It was disputed, a second trial was made, and it obtained again in favour of it.—The Moderator himself counted the Voters on both sides, & must have seen it was a fair Vote.—He was repeatedly call'd upon to declare it—still he refus'd it, but hearing somebody propose a Poll, he eagerly catched at this, whereupon the Voters divided on each side the House—while this was doing, what by the help of some who were, probably called in, together with those who were not qualified, the Vote was then turned against the Report.—Add to all this, the Gentleman would not admit of a determination by Yeas and Nays, nor of a Scrutiny as to the qualification of Voters, when demanded.

All now seemed Uproar and Confusion, and the business of the meeting being conducted in so barefaced a manner, all the Selectmen, with a great number of the principal Inhabitants withdrew in a body, and left the Moderator with a slender party to read, debate, digest and pass into a Vote, that all important and memorable mixture above refer'd to. (3)

The following is a Copy of the Report of the Committee on the Papers from the Town of Boston.

WE a Committee chosen by the Town of Roxbury, at the adjournment of their meeting of the 23d November, to consider of sundry Papers receiv'd from the Town of Boston, containing the Votes and Proceedings of their meeting of 20th Nov. have accordingly met on this business, and having read over and fully considered of the same, are of opinion as follows——

That the said Papers do contain various matters which we apprehend have heretofore been taken into consideration of the General Court, that we do not observe any thing therein that is new, save the following, viz. "The Probability, from the best "intelligence we have been able to obtain, that the Judges of the "Superiour Court, King's Attorney, and Sollicitor-General, are "to receive their support out of the Revenues of America."—Inasmuch therefore as the Town of Roxbury did, at their last meeting, instruct their Representative in regard to this particular, which being the only business that occasion'd the present convening of the Town, and also similar to the other matters set forth in the aforesaid Papers, we apprehend that this Town have herein sufficiently concurr'd with the Town of Boston, and that nothing more seems needful for us to be done, but to refer the Representative to the Instructions given him, reposing our confidence in him, that he will exert himself, at the next session of the General Court, in concurrence with the other members, in such prudential measures as may have a tendency to the obtaining a Redress of all such Grievances as are justly complained of, and the procuring to this People the peaceful enjoyment of their just Rights.

Nov. 24. 1772. *(Signed by Six of the Committee.)*

☞ *The Piece from Cambridge, signed by an Honorable Gentleman there, containing "the true State of the Case" of what passed at the Town-Meeting held at that Place the 14th Inst. being somewhat lengthy, was received too late for this Day's Paper.*

TO-MORROW,

At Eleven o'Clock,

Will be Sold by Public Vendue, at BOWMAN's Auction-Room, North Side of the Market,

70 Pieces of 3-4, 7-8 & yard wide Cotton and Linnen Manchester CHECKS, 12 Pieces of IRISH LINNENS, and sundry other Articles. —To-morrow—XI o'Clock.—

The Committee of Communication and Correspondence in this Place have received the following LETTER from a like Committee appointed by the Town of Cambridge.——

THE Committee appointed by the Town of Cambridge to write to the Committee of Communication and Correspondence at Boston, gladly embrace this Opportunity. In the Name and Behalf of the said Town of Cambridge, and with the most sincere Respect, they acknowledge the Vigilance and Care discovered by the Town of Boston, of the public Rights and Liberties: Acquainting you, that this Town will heartily concur in all salutary, proper and constitutional Measures, for the Redress of these intolerable Grievances, which threaten, and if continued, must overthrow the happy Civil Constitution of this Province.

It is with the greatest Pleasure we now inform you, that we think the Meeting was as full as it has been for the Choice of a Representative, for a Number of Years, if not fuller; and that the People discovered a glorious Spirit, like Men determined to be Free. We have here inclosed you a Copy of the Votes and Proceedings of this Town at their Meeting, so far as they have gone.*

We would add, May the Town of Boston, the Capital of this Province, rejoice in perpetual Prosperity. May Wisdom direct her in all her Consultations. May her Spirited and prudent Conduct render her a Terror to Tyrants. May every Town in this Province, and every Colony upon the Continent, be awakened to a Sense of Danger, and unite in the glorious Cause of Liberty. Then shall we be able effectually to disappoint the Machinations of our Enemies. To conclude, That this Land may be purged from those Sins which are a Reproach to a People, and be exalted by Righteousness; that God Almighty may be our God, as he was the God of our Fathers; and that we may be possessed of the same Principles of Virtue, Religion and Public Spirit, which warmed and animated the Hearts of our renowned Ancestors, is the sincere Prayer of your Friends in the common Cause of our Country, the Committee of the Town of Cambridge.

EBENEZER STEDMAN, *per Order.*

* *These were inserted in our last.* vid pa, 202

BOSTON, *December* 28. 1772.

Tuesday the 22d of this Instant December, was observed in the ancient Town of Plymouth, as a Day of public Festivity, in Commemoration of the important Event, the Landing of their Forefathers in that Place. In the Morning the Rev. Mr. Robbins (having been previously requested) delivered to a numerous and respectable Congregation, (consisting of a number of the Reverend Gentlemen of the Clergy and others, Inhabitants of Plymouth and the Towns in the Vicinity) a Discourse adapted to the Occasion, from those remarkable Words of the Psalmist, "For he establish-"ed a Testimony in Jacob, and appointed a Law in "Israel, which he commanded our Fathers, that they "should make them known to their Children, that the "Generations to come might know *them*, even the "Children *which* should be born; *who* should arise "and declare *them* to their Children, that they might "set their Hope in GOD, and not forget the Works of "GOD; and keep his Commandments."—The profound Silence and solemn Attention which was observable throughout this vast Concourse of People, sufficiently demonstrated their Approbation of the Sentiments of the Speaker.——A plain and elegant Entertainment was prepared at a public House, at which the Gentlemen of the Clergy, and a large Number of others, the most respectable of the Congregation were present, The Afternoon passed in recapitulating and recollecting a Variety of curious Anecdotes of our venerable Predecessors, Subjects at this Time peculiarly pleasing.—The Evening was spent at OLD COLONY-HALL in the most social Manner.—Joy, Gratitude and Pleasure were apparent in the Countenances of every Person, through the whole of this agreeable Day and Evening.

Dutchess County, New-York, Nov. 26.

About two months ago, two mad Dogs appeared in this neighbourhood, and bit several animals, of which the greatest number were soon after seized with the symptoms of that peculiar madness, and died. Among them was a Cow belonging to one Mr. Jacklin. This unhappy Man, anxious to preserve his creature, and not apprehensive of the danger to which he exposed himself, while the symptoms of madness were on her, made use of several remedies for her relief. And, particularly, in order to give her a drench, he thurst his hand, upon which at that time he happened to have an ulcer, into her throat, and grasped her tongue, and after the cow's death, to save her hide, had the further imprudence to flea her. From that time until the 6th instant, he continued in his usual health, but on that day he drooped, complained much of a general uneasiness and distress, and passed the succeeding night with much anxiety and restlessness. On the next morning, the characteristic symptom of the Canine Madness, the Hydrophobia (or Dread of Water) came on; within twelve hours he became furiously mad, and on the 8th, at noon, he died.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman of Charatter in England, to his friend at Boston.

OUR tyrants in administration are greatly exasperated with the late manœuvres of the brave Rhode-Islanders; as regard to the rights of the subject and the principles of justice never marked the measures of the present wretched conductors of the wheels of government, you will not be alarmed when I tell you that they have determined to vacate the charter of that colony; to effect this purpose, which in their own apprehension will be attended with some difficulty: Admiral [illegible] is ordered, with the small craft which are with him, to line the harbour of Rhode-Island, with positive orders to apprehend the persons concerned in the enterprize above-mentioned, as [illegible] by this hectoring commander and his gallant squadron, these bitter pills are to be crammed down their throats; but the friends of true British freedom are not without hopes that the stomache of that heroic colony will reject the dose prepared for them; as united our dear suffering Brethren, be steady and success crowns you; freedom, glorious freedom will be the purchase. We believe that the ancient British spirit of independence which once blest this Island, has improved by transplantation, and preserves its vigour in the breasts of Americans; cherish it my dear friends! And by relieving yourselves save the small remnant of the virtuous in Britain."

vid page 198 ‖ vid pa, 1085. ✓ vid page 1117. ? vid their Names pa, 1087. vid pa, 1117.
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BOSTON, Dec. 28. 1772.

By a Gentleman from Granada, who was at St. Vincents 5 Weeks ago, we are informed, That the English Troops there were in good Health; that he did not hear of the Death of any of the Officers of the 14th Regiment, and that but two or three of the Privates had died:—That about 300 of the Charibs had surrendered to the English General, who sent them on board the Ships to prevent their return to their Brethren; that there had been several Skirmishes between small Parties; but that no general Attack was expected to be made till the Admiral arrived from Antigua, where the Ships were repairing the Damages they received in the late Hurricane.

We hear from Grafton, that the Rev. Mr. Aaron Hutchinson, on account of alienations of Affections in some of his People, arising from the unhappy Disputes between him & some of his Brethren, lately earnestly asked, with strong Reasons pressed, and with great Struggles, at length obtained an honorable Dismission from his Pastoral Relation, by the unanimous Advice of an Ecclesiastical Council, and by a major Vote of the Brethren of the Church present: Whereupon his Pastoral Relation was declared to be dissolved, in the Presence of the Council; and is likely to remain so, notwithstanding the Town has hitherto refused their Concurrence.

Last Wednesday Evening, about 6 o'Clock, a Fellow had the boldness to go into a Shop in Kilby-Street (notwithstanding two Persons were sitting in a Room adjoining which was parted from the Shop only by a Glass Door) and took the Money Drawer from behind the Counter with about £.30 O. T. in Cash; and altho' one of the Persons almost instantly went into the Shop, he ran off with the Booty, and has not since been discovered.

Last Wednesday night about 12 o'Clock a Fire broke out in a Barn at the South Part of the Town, belonging to the Widow May, which was soon consumed, together with a Waggon load of Hogs, and a Quantity of Hay: The Fire communicated to a large Dwelling-House, tenanted by Mr. Ebenezer Sever, and belonging to Samuel Welles, Esq; which almost entirely burnt the back Part, but by the Vigilance of the People the Fire was prevented doing any further Damage. It is supposed the Fire was occasioned by carrying a Candle or lighted Pipe into the Barn.

Yesterday se'nnight the Lizard Frigate, and an armed Schooner, arrived at Newport from this Place. —All Things are said to remain very peaceable and quiet there.

Yesterday arrived the Cruizer Sloop of War from New-York.

MARRIED.] Mr. *Charles Sigourney*, to Miss *Sally Frazier*, Daughter to Capt. *John Frazier*.

At Roxbury, Mr. *Thomas Maccarty*, late of this Town, Merchant, to Miss *Sally Cotterell*.

At the Seat of Benjamin Pemberton, Esq; on Jamaica Plains, Roxbury, Mr. *John Keys*, to Miss *Mary Goss*, Daughter of the late Capt. *Daniel Goss*, of this Town.

At Cambridge, Mr. *Palsgrave Wellington*, A. B. to Mrs. *Abigail Sewall*, Daughter of *Thomas Sparhawk*, Esq; of that Place.

DIED.] Mrs. *Brewer*, Widow of the late Mr. *Thomas Brewer*, Mast-Maker, at the North End.—Mrs. *Abiah Griffith*, aged 42, Wife of Mr. *John Griffith*, School-Master.—Her Remains are to be interr'd To-Morrow.——Mr. *Richard Thayer*, in the 22d Year of his Age, Son of Mr. *Gideon Thayer*, Tallow-Chandler.—Capt. *Hopestill Foster*, at the South End, aged 71.——Mrs. *Harrison*, Wife of Mr. *William Harrison*, Tallow-Chandler.——

At Cohasset, *Samuel Cushing*, Esq; in the 74th Year of his Life. "He did Justly, loved Mercy, and walked humbly with God."

At Bridgwater, Mr. *Nathan Packard*, of the Measles:—We hear that several Hundred Persons of different Ages are now sick there with that Distemper, many of whom, it is said, are dangerously ill.

At Barnstable, Mrs. *Sarah Sturgis*, aged 45, Consort of Capt. *Thomas Sturgis*, of that Town, and Daughter of the late Maj. *William Paine* of Eastham.

At Ipswich, *Samuel Rogers*, Esq; in the 64th Year of his Age: He was one of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace and of the Quorum for the County of Essex, and chief Colonel of the third Regiment of Militia, and Register of the Court of Probate in said County, as also (for a long continued Series of Years last past) a Selectman, Town-Clerk, and a Physician in that Town; in which Departments he gave very general Acceptance.

Also died at Ipswich, after a few Days Illness, Miss *Sarah Rogers*, aged 39, eldest surviving Daughter of the venerable and Rev. *Nathaniel Rogers* of that Place.—In her concentred the dutifulness of a Daughter, the tenderness of a Sister, and the warmth of a real Friend.—

At St. Croix, Mr. *Ezekiel Hearsey*, of this Town.

On his Passage from Jamaica, Mr. *Henry Deering*, late of this Town, Merchant.

At Portsmouth, Mr. *Thomas Bickford*, aged 68 Years; for about 40 of which he was a noted School Master in that Town.

At Aarbus, in Denmark, Christian Jacobson Draebarg, aged 146, being born Nov. 11. 1626.

On WEDNESDAY next,
At ELEVEN o'Clock,
Will be sold at PUBLIC VENDUE,
At the Auction Room in Queen-street,
A Variety of English Goods—among which are,
Scarlet, blue and other color'd Broad Cloths, Shalloons, Callimancoes, Ratteens, Lamb-Skins, Swanskins, Cambleteens, Irish Linen, Dowlas, Oznabrigs, Worsted Hose, Furniture Chex, English Taffaty, yellow Holland, Callicoes, 2 Bags Cotton, a good Eight Day Clock, &c &c, &c.
Wednesday next—XI o'Clock.
J. RUSSELL, *Auctioneer*.

On Thursday next,
At ELEVEN o'Clock,
Will be sold by Public Vendue, on *Tileston's* Wharf,
A Quantity of Shop Sugars, in Hogsheads.
J. RUSSELL, Auctioneer.
THURSDAY next—XI o'Clock.

TO-MORROW at Ten o'Clock,
Will be Sold by PUBLIC VENDUE,
At *Bicker's* Auction Room,
Near the Conduit,
A Variety of GOODS.
Amongst which are,
Broad Cloths, Kerseys, Ratteens, Plains, Forrest Cloths, Duffils, Duffil Blankets, Irish Linens, Checks,
N.B. The GOODS will be sold in whole Pieces.
——May be view'd this Day——
Great Pennyworths may be expected.

Brown SUGARS, very good,
Suitable for Shops,
To be Sold in large or small Quantities,
By *John Baker*, North End.
Likewise choice DUMB FISH.

WINES.
Just Imported and to be Sold
By *Nathaniel & Joseph Greene*,
Choice Fyal, St. Georges, St. Michael's, Teneriffe and Madeira WINES; and as they were pick'd out from some Hundreds of Pipes in each Place by a good Judge, they doubt not of being able to suit any one who may want to Purchase.
N.B. A convenient Store to be Let, on Greene's Wharf. Enquire of *Nathaniel Greene*.

Daniel Henchman
Takes this Method to inform his Customers in Town & Country, That he still continues to carry on the GOLD and SILVERSMITHS Business at his Shop opposite the Old Brick Meeting House in Cornhill, where he makes with his own Hands all Kinds of large and small Plate Work, in the genteelest Taste and newest Fashion, and of the purest Silver; and as his Work has hitherto met with the Approbation of the most Curious, he flatters himself that he shall have the Preference by those who are Judges of Work, to those Strangers among us who import and sell English Plate, to the great Hurt and Prejudice of the Townsmen who have been bred to the Business.—— Said HENCHMAN therefore will engage to those Gentlemen and Ladies who shall please to employ him, that he will make any Kind of Plate they may want equal in goodness and cheaper than any they can import from London, with the greatest Dispatch.

TO BE LET, and entred immediately,
A lower Room fronting on Kingstreet, next to the Sign of Admiral Vernon—has been used as a Notary's and Insurance Office—but is suitable for a Shop. Any Person inclining may be accommodated with a Chamber over it. Enquire of *William Thompson*.

TO BE SOLD,
For no Fault (only that of Breeding too fast)
A healthy Negro Woman that can do any Houshold Business. She is strictly honest, and can be well recommended. Enquire of the Printers.
N.B. A healthy Negro Male Child to be given to the Person who may buy her.

The Commissioners appointed by the Honorable *Foster Hutchinson*, Esq; Judge of Probate for the County of Suffolk, to receive and examine the Claims of the Creditors to the Estate of Mr. *Israel Loring*, late of *Boston*, Felt maker, deceased, represented Insolvent——Give Notice that they shall attend that Service at the Royal Exchange Tavern in *Boston*, on the first Friday of the six following Months, from Six to Nine o'Clock, P. M.
Boston, December 24. 1772.

The Brethren of the Ancient and Honorable Society of Free and Accepted MASONS, are hereby Notified, That the Right Worshipful JOHN ROWE, Esq; Grand-Master of Masons in North-America, designs to celebrate the Feast of St. JOHN the Evangelist, THIS DAY, being the 28th of *December*, at the House of Brother INGERSOL, the Bunch of Grapes Tavern in King-Street, *Boston*, where the Brethren are desired to attend.
THOMAS BROWN, Grand Sec'ry.
——Dinner precisely at 2 o'Clock.——

AMES's ALMANACK
For the Year 1773.
The only True and Correct Almanacks from my Copy, are those printed by *R. Draper, Edes & Gill*, and *T. & J. Fleet*.
Dedham, Dec. 18. 1772. NATH. AMES.

Choice West India RUM,
A few Hogsheads to be Sold,
By *Joshua Blanchard*,
At his Store on Dock-Square, BOSTON.

CHOCOLATE
of the best Quality (made by Deacon *Davis*) therefore warranted,
To be sold at William Taylor's *Store*, in King-Street,
Where Masters of Vessels and others may be supplied by the Hundred, Box, or Dozen, as cheap as at any Store in Town.
Also to be Sold at said Store,
Choice Barbados, St. Kitts and Granada Rum, by the Hogshead or less Quantity,
Sugars per Hogshead, Barrel or less,
Double & single refin'd Sugars,
Choice Bohea Tea per hundred, dozen or single pound,
A small parcel choice COCOA,
Green Coffee per Quantity,
Rice, Race & ground Ginger,
Cotton per Bag or less Quantity,
New Raisins & Currants,
Pepper, Pimento,
Spices of all sorts, fresh & good,
The best of French Indigo,
Allum, Copperas & Brimstone,
London T D and Bristol 15 Inch Pipes,
Excellent Logwood & Brasiletto
A few Quintals best dumb Fish, and about 200 Quintals of Jamai. a Ditto.
Choice Narraganset Cheese,
Also a full Assortment of Ship-Chandlery.

To JOHN CHANDLER, Esq; Clerk of the Proprietors of the Common and Undivided Land in *Royalston*, in the County of *Worcester*.
SIR,
We desire you would warn a Meeting of said Proprietors to be held at the Bunch of Grapes Tavern in *Boston*, on Wednesday the Thirteenth Day of *January* next, at Five o'Clock Afternoon, then and there to act on the following Articles, viz.
1. To choose a Moderator.
2. For the Proprietors to Vote, if they see Cause, to Grant to the Inhabitants of said Town the Pew Ground in the Meeting-House, as also such Sum of Money as they shall judge proper, to be laid out in making Roads in said Town, or for the Support of the Gospel there, on such Conditions as the Proprietors shall agree upon.
3. To Vote, if they see Cause, to sell all or any Part of the Common and Undivided Land in said Town, and to choose a Committee for said Purpose, and to give Directions concerning the same.
4. To give Directions to their Committee for the Sale of Land relative to their executing a Deed of Two Hundred Acres of the Undivided Land in said Town, part of the same formerly laid out to *Benoni Moore* and Company.
5. To receive the Report of the Committee for the Sale of Eight Hundred Acres of the Common and Undivided Land in said Town, & to act thereon as the Proprietors shall judge proper.
JOHN ERVING,
Boston, Nov. 10, 1772. THOMAS HUBBARD,
JOHN HANCOCK.

The Proprietors of *Royalston* are hereby Warned and Notified to meet at Time and Place, and for the Purposes afore-mentioned.
JOHN CHANDLER, Prop. Clerk.
Boston, 30th *November*, 1772.

Just Published by Subscription,
A Candid Disquisition on the Principles and Practices of the most Antient and Honorable Society of FREE and ACCEPTED MASONS: Together with some Strictures on the Origin, Nature, and Design of that Institution; Dedicated, by Permission, to the most Noble and most Worshipful HENRY DUKE OF BEAUFORT, Grand Master. To which is added, the standing BY-LAWS of the respective LODGES, and also a Number of MASONS SONGS, &c. &c.——
By WELLINS CALCOTT, P. M.
It would be out of Character to say any Thing by Way of Recommendation of the above Book, as it has met with the Approbation of all who have perused it.——The Subscribers are desired to call or send for their Books.——A few of which may be had from the Undertaker, WILLIAM M'ALPINE, printed for those who had not an Opportunity of becoming Subscribers, if called for soon.——

CUSTOM-HOUSE, *BOSTON*, *Decemb.* 26, 1772.
ENTERED IN.
Delano and Noble from North Carolina; Williams from New-York; Oliver, Abrahams, Nicholls & Deane from Newfoundland; Cook and Attwood from Halifax; Harris from New London; Heath from Maryland; Davis from Philadelphia; Gulliver from St. Croix; McLeod from Louisbourg and Halifax; Earwin and Bartlet from Falmouth.
OUTWARD-BOUND.
Augmes to Jamaica; Stone, Hatch, Gardner, Doggett and Kent to North Carolina; Butler, Bennet, Littlefield, Davis, Pulling, Sheppard, Eldridge, Bell, Goodwin, Smith and Hodgdon to West Indies, McClure and Murphy to Virginia; and Cooke to Halifax.

Quid, pa, 124—182—
Quid pa, 206. (1/Quid pa, 33. [2/Quid, pa, 201. [3/Quid, [illegible]

Imported from ENGLAND,
And to be Sold by
Jonathan Maſon
At his Shop next to the Sign of the *Buck & Glove*, and a little to the Southward of the Town-Houſe,
A general Aſſortment of Nails,
Tacks and Brads, beſt London and Briſtol Pewter Diſhes, Plates and Baſons, Braſs Kittles, Skillets and Warming Pans, Braſs Nails for Chaiſes, Frying Pans, Engliſh and German Steel, Powder and Shot, Bar-Lead, neat Guns with and without Bayonets, Engliſh and French Flints, Wool and Cotton Cards, Caſe Knives and Forks, Pen Knives, Raiſors, Sciſſars, Shears, Braſs Furniture for Deſks, Saddlers Ware, Shoe Makers, Joiners & Carpenters Tools, Locks and Hinges, Shoe & Knee Buckles, Coat & Breaſt Buttons, Flatt & Box Irons, Tongs & Shovels, Chaffindiſhes, Candleſticks, Common and Temple Spectacles, Horn & Ivory Combs, Sewing & Darning Needles, Bellows, Braſs Cocks, Braſs & Leather Ink Pots, 10 by 8, 7 by 9 & 6 by 8 Window Glaſs, Bohea Tea by the Cheſt, Black India Taffities, Mens Worſted Hoſe, Sewing Silk, Silk Lungee Romalls, Writing Paper, &c. &c. &c.

Alſo, Choice Narraganſet CHEESE.

Daniel Waldo
Informs his Cuſtomers and Others,
That he has imported a compleat Aſſortment of *London, Briſtol, Birmingham*, and *Sheffield*
Hard Ware Goods,
Which he purchaſed of the ſeveral Manufacturers *with the Caſh*, on ſuch advantageous Terms, as to enable him to ſell them VERY CHEAP.

They are invited to call at his SHOP in King-Street, BOSTON, near the Town-Houſe, where they will be convinc'd that they can purchaſe GOODS of him, by Wholeſale or Retail, at the VERY LOWEST RATE,

His Aſſortment conſiſts principally of the following Articles,

Nails, Tacks & Brads of all ſizes,
Braſs Kettles and Skillets,
Warming Pans,
Frying and Dripping Pans,
Beſt Engliſh and German Steel,
Powder, Shot and Lead,
Beſt French Flints,
London and New-England Wool Cards, and Card Wire,
London & Briſtol Pewter Diſhes, Plates, Baſons, Quart & Pint Pots, Cans, Jill Meaſures, Tea Pots, Table and Tea Spoons, Porringers, Chamber Pots, and Bed Pans,
All ſorts of Carpenters, Joiners, and Turners Tools,
Cod and Mackrel Lines,
Cod and Mackrel Hooks, and all other Sizes,
Coffee-Mills, Chaffingdiſhes,
Shovels and Tongs, Box Irons,
Iron and Braſs Candleſticks,
Flat Irons, Bellows,
Braſs, Steel and Iron Snuffers,
Velvet Corks, Cork Screws,
All ſizes of Sickles, Sythes,
A compleat Aſſortment of Braſs Handles, Eſcutcheons, Lock Hinges, &c. for Deſks, Cheſt of Drawers, Book Caſes, &c.
Mens & Womens Stirrop Irons, Snaffle and Curb Bitts, white Seals, Tuft Nails, Saddle Heads, Staples on Plates, Ballieu Hammers, Braſs Nails, Girth and Straining Web, Head and Throat Laſh Buckles, Tin'd Tacks and Bullion,
Shoemakers Hammers, Knippers, Pinchers, Shoe Knives, Size Sticks, Awl Blades, Tacks, Awl Hafts & Punches,
Steel & Iron Plate Hand Saws,
Beſt Steel Plate Tenoent, Saſh and Pannel Saws,
Files and Raſps, Spoke Shaves, Iron Shovels,

Sheep Shears,
Braſs Scales, Braſs Cocks,
Coat and Breaſt Buttons,
Horn and Ivory Combs,
Sewing and Darning Needles,
Braſs and Leather Ink Pots,
Beſt Engliſh Glue,
Shoe and Cloath Bruſhes,
Chalk Line, Box Rules,
Gimblets, Plate Bolts,
Window Pullies and Lines,
Cheſt, Cupboard & Trunk Locks,
Iron Door Locks, Stock Locks, and Pad Locks,
Tumb Latches, and Braſs Knob Latches,
Hinges of all ſorts,
Snuff and Tobacco Boxes,
A great Variety of Shoe and Knee Buckles,
Common & Temple Spectacles,
Japan'd Salvers,
Very elegant japon'd Tea Kettles with Lamps,
Tea Cheſts,
Stone Sleeve Buttons ſet in ſilver,
All Sorts of Caſe Knives, Penknives, Cutteaus, Sciſſars, Razors, &c.
Mens and Womens Thimbles,
Curling Irons,
Braſs Dividers & Iron Compaſſes,
& Variety of Sleeve Buttons,
Cloak-Pins, Nail Knippers,
Knitting Needles,
Center, Doubleg & Pin Bitts,
Steel Pencil Caſes,
Iron Wire, Pack Thread,
Horſe Whips,
Sword Belts,
Pound Beads & black Bugles,
China Snuff Boxes,
Small Bell-Metal Mortars,
Brilliant and Cypher Button and Earing Stones,
White and Ruby Foil,
Chapes and Tongues,
6 by 8, 7 by 9 and 10 by 8 Window-Glaſs.

New Raiſins and Malaga Wine,
TO BE SOLD
At *Richard Clarke* and *Sons* Store
In King Street
Alſo a few Hogſheads of Muſcovado Sugar, and a ſmall Quantity of COCOA.

ENGLISH INDIA and SCOTCH GOODS
To be Sold at the Shop of
Duncan Ingraham, jun^r
in Union-Street, BOSTON.

A compleat Aſſortment of Winter GOODS, which are well charg'd, and will be ſold on ſo low Terms that he doubts not of giving entire Satisfaction to every Perſon that may pleaſe to favour him with their Cuſtom.

N.B. A few Canniſters of beſt Hyſon Tea, very low.

William Bant
Has received by the laſt Veſſels from LONDON, *a general Aſſortment of* WINTER GOODS, *which he will ſell, by Wholeſale and Retail at the loweſt Rates for Caſh, at his Store fronting* DOCK-SQUARE.

N.B. *A fine Aſſortment of the moſt faſhionable colour'd* BROAD-CLOTHS.——

A few Hampers of LONDON PORTER.——

☞ Thoſe Perſons who will favor him with their Cuſtom may depend upon being well uſed.

Boſton, Nov. 25. 1772. tfc

TO BE SOLD Cheap by
Mrs. Sheaffe,
At her Shop the North Corner of Queen-Street, lately occupied by Mr. *Joſhua Green*,
All Sorts of GROCERIES,
Among which are,

Freſh Jar & Caſk Raiſins and Currants,
Superfine & common Philadelphia Flour, by the Barrel or ſmaller Quantity,
Rice — ground ditto,
Brown Sugars by the Barrel, or leſs,
Choice Hyſon Tea at 20ſ. per the ſingle Pound, or leſs by the Quantity; alſo,
Some of a ſuperior Quality, at 28ſ.
Bohea and Souchong ditto,
Coffee by the Hundred or leſs,
Very fine Chocolate by the box or ſingle pound,
Spices, Citron, Almonds,
Capers, Olives, Anchovies,
Race and ground Ginger,
Pepper, Alſpice, Baſket Salt,
Cayanne Pepper,
Very fine Muſtard,
Small Philadelphia Ruſk by the Keg or leſs,
Split Peaſe in Buſhel Caſks, or by the Quart,
Saltpetre,
Single refin'd Loaf Sugar by the Hundred or Loaf,
Alſo, a very excellent Sort of double ditto in ſmall Loaves,
Florence Oil, Turkey Figs,
Sugar Plumbs and Almonds,
Tamarinds, Starch, Flax,
Crown and Hard Soap,
Hair Powder,
Kippen's Snuff by the dozen or ſingle bottle,
Sago, Barley, Velvet Cocks,
Oatmeal by the buſhel or ſmaller quantity,
15 and 18 Inch TD Pipes,
Choice French Indigo,
Brimſtone, Allum, Copperas,
Redwood, Logwood, &c. &c.

Alſo, Choice Frontineac WINE by the Caſe or Bottle; Playing Cards, and an Aſſortment of Glaſs and China Ware.

*** *The above Articles are the beſt of their Kinds, and ſhe will obſerve the Cuſtom of her Friends and the Publick as a peculiar Kindneſs.*

RAPPEE SNUFF.
A ſmall Quantity of Rappee SNUFF, Much approved of by Connoiſeurs in that Article,
To be Sold remarkably Cheap by
Joſeph Peirce
At his SHOP the North Side of the Town-Houſe,
BOSTON.
Where may be had,

Some Mens & Womens neat FUR'D GLOVES, with all other Kinds of GLOVES and MITTS.——A pretty Aſſortment of HOSIERY, amongſt which are ſome neat PATENT and RIB'D Worſted HOSE.——Beaver Coatings, Kerſeys, SCARLET WHITNEY, Flannels, Lambſkins, SCARLET & other colour'd BROAD CLOTHS, CARPETS and CARPETING, Crapes, Grazets, Poplins, Cambleteens, DENMARK LUSTRES, Ruſſels, Caſimancoes, Tammies, Shalloons, FURR and SNAIL TRIMMINGS, figur'd & plain Sattins, MUFFS & TIPPETS, plain and figur'd SILKS, Ribbons, Gold and Silver SPANGLED and BASKET BUTTONS, Pinchbeck and Silver-plated Shoe, Knee & Stock BUCKLES.—Lynn made & Engliſh Shoes and Pumps, Clogs and Goloſhoes, Spices, BLACK HAIR PINS, &c. &c. &c. &c.

FRESH and VERY FINE FLAVOUR'D
Hyſon and Souchong TEA,
BOHEA Ditto.

☞ *One compleat enamel'd China Tea Sett.*

Whereas there has been great Neglect on the Part of the Owners of ſundry Veſſels in the Plantations in not complying with the Act of the 7th & 8th of WILLIAM 3d, C. 22, and more particularly the 21ſt Sect. wherein it is enacted "That no Ship's Name regiſtred ſhall be afterwards changed without regiſtering ſuch Ship *de novo*, which is required to be done upon any Tranſfer of Property to another Port, and delivering up the former Certificate to be cancelled, and in Caſe there be any Alteration of Property in the ſame Port, by the Sale of one or more ſhares in any Ship after regiſtering thereof, ſuch Sale ſhall always be acknowledged by Indorſement on the Certificate of the Regiſter, before two Witneſſes, in order to prove that the entire Property in ſuch Ships remains to ſome of the Subjects of Great-Britain, if any Diſpute ariſes concerning the ſame."

AND WHEREAS all Veſſels trading at or belonging to any Port in America, the Owners or Maſters of which ſhall omit to comply with the Directions given in the ſaid Act, will be liable to the ſame Proſecutions and Penalties as if ſuch Veſſels were owned entirely by Foreigners:

The Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms therefore give this Notice, that all Perſons concerned may govern themſelves accordingly.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
Cuſtom-Houſe, Boſton, SAM'L MATHER, pr. Sec'ry.
15th *Dec.* 1772.

Taken from along-ſide the Brig Dolphin, James Scott, Maſter, at the Long Wharf, a few Nights paſt, a YAWL, about 13 or 14 Feet long. Any Perſon (except the Thief) bringing her to ſaid Maſter, or to William Deanie ſhall be rewarded.

For LONDON,
The Ship BOSTON PACKET, *Nathaniel Byfield Lyde*, Maſter, is three Quarters loaded, and will ſail in 10 Days; has Fine Accommodations for Paſſengers.—For Freight or Paſſage, apply to the Maſter on board at the Long Wharf, or at *William Dennie's* Store in Kingſtreet.
Boſton, Dec. 19. 1772.

For MADEIRA,
And directly back to BOSTON,
The Sloop POLLY,
HUGH HUNTER, Maſter,
Will ſail in a Week, Wind & Weather permitting. Any Perſon that wants Freight back from *Madeira* may apply to JOHN ROWE, or the Maſter.——
The ſaid *Rowe* has Newcaſtle Coals and Bottles on Board the Brig *Briſtol Packet*; John *Skimmer*, Maſter, lying at *Rowe's* Wharf, to ſail

TO BE SOLD, by
Archibald Cunningham
At his SHOP in Fore-Street, near the Draw-Bridge, Boſton,
Choice old Liſbon & Caccavilla Wine, by the Quarter Caſk, black, white & cloth colour'd Barcelona Handkerchiefs, by the Dozen, new Currants by the large or ſmall Quantity, Raiſins, Turkey Figs by the Caſk, Citron, Nutmegs, Mace, Cinnamon, Cloves, Pepper, Allſpice, Salt Petre, Allum, Copperas, Velvet and common Corks, ſplit Peaſe, beſt French Indigo, Oatmeal per Buſhel, Florence Oil, beſt Durham Muſtard in half and Quarter Pound Bottles per Dozen, Kippen's Snuff, Pig Tail Tobacco, Bohea, Souchong and Hyſon Tea, per Dozen or ſingle Pound, all warranted good, Pins No. 3½ & 4, a few Pieces of Tammys, Callimancoes and Shalloons, 15 Inch Pipes per Box, Dram Bottles in Hampers of one Groce each. Alſo, Glaſs, Delph and Cream colour'd Ware, Capers per Bottle or lb.

FRESH OLIVES,
New Raiſins, Barcelona Handkerchiefs of all Colours, and beſt Lynn Shoes, to be ſold (Wholeſale and Retail) at the loweſt Price, by JOHN BORDMAN, oppoſite the Sign of the Three Doves in Marlborough-Street.

N. B. A genteel Coach, with good Horſes and a careful Driver, to Let.

The Creditors to the Eſtate of
JOHN GOOCH (formerly of *Boſton*) late of *Marſhfield*, in the County of *Plimouth*, Eſq; deceaſed, are hereby notified, That we the Subſcribers are appointed by the Judge of Probate of Wills, &c. for the ſaid County of *Plimouth*, Commiſſioners to hear and examine the Claims of the Creditors to ſaid Eſtate: And we ſhall attend at the Houſe of *Nathaniel Rey Thomas*, Eſq; in *Marſhfield*, for that Purpoſe, on the laſt Monday of this inſtant December, and on the firſt Monday of the five Months next following.
ISAAC WINSLOW,
Plimouth, Dec 7. 1772. ED. WINSLOW, jun.

Public Notice is hereby given to the Proprietors of *Silueſter-Town*, lying on Androſcoggin River, in the County of *Cumberland*, that ſaid Proprietors at their Meeting, legally held by Adjournment, on the 7th Day of October 1772 Voted to raiſe a further Tax of *Thirty Shillings* on each Original Right, to be paid to Mr. *Charles Turner*, their Treaſurer, for bringing forward the Settlement of ſaid Townſhip, on or before the 15th Day of March 1773. WM. TURNER, Prop. Clr.
Scituate, Dec. 15, 1772.

Alexander Ralſton & Comp.
Glovers and Breeches Makers,
From North Britain.

Beg Leave to inform the Public, that they make and finiſh in the neateſt Manner at their Shop oppoſite to the Sign of the White Horſe, and next Door to Mr. *John Greenlow's*, towards Liberty Tree, all Kinds of Leather Breeches and Gloves, which they Dye a variety of Colours, and upon Trial will be found much ſuperior to any Colours ever before dyed here.——There is now ready for Sale at ſaid Shop, an Aſſortment of Buck-Skin, Doe-Skin, Mooſe-Skin, Shammy and Ground Leather Breeches, alſo Men's Buck Skin & Shammy Gloves, Mens and Womens black and white Gloves ſuitable for Funerals, Mens and Womens purple, crimſon, garnet, and drab colour'd Gloves; all which will be ſold as low as they can be purchaſed in any Part of Great Britain.

N.B. Thoſe Perſons who pleaſe to favour them with their Cuſtom may depend upon having their Orders executed with the utmoſt Diſpatch, and proper Allowance made to thoſe who buy by the Quantity; alſo the ſmalleſt Favour gratefully acknowledg'd.

☞ Two Lads are wanted as Apprentices.

Genuine *Turlington's* Balſam,
in large and ſmall Bottles,
to be ſold Cheap at the *Heart & Crown* in Cornhill.